Chapter 7: Air and Atmosphere

Worksheet 1

1. Write T for true and F for false statement.

- (i) Nitrogen is a gas at room temperature.
- (ii) Respiration takes place at high temperature.
- (iii) Oxygen turns limewater milky.
- (iv) Radon is used in the treatment of cancer.
- (v) Argon is used in welding metals.

2. Fill in the blanks.

- (i) _____ gas makes 21 per cent of air.
- (ii) ______ is essential for the growth of plants and animals.
- (iii) _____ gas is used to fill electric light bulbs.
- (iv) In _____ areas, the air has greater percentage of water vapour.
- (v) Liquid ______ is used to produce very low temperature.

3. Match the columns.

Column A (i) Oxygen (ii) Nitrogen (iii) Carbon dioxide (iv) Water vapour (v) Carbon monoxide (c) Lity Water vapour (d) Most abundant gas in air (e) Essential for burning

4. Answer the following questions.

- (i) What do you mean by atmosphere?
- (ii) What are air pollutants?
- (iii) What is SPM?
- (iv) Write one effect of acid rain.
- (v) Are air and moisture necessary for rusting?

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Worksheet 2

1. Write T for true and F for false statement.	
(i) Sulphur dioxide is released by volcanic eruptions.	
(ii) Acid rain can cause soil to become acidic.	
(iii) Air is necessary for combustion.	
(iv) Green plants use oxygen to prepare their food.	
(v) Solid carbon dioxide is used in	
2. Fill in the blanks.	
(i) At altitudes, the percentage of oxygen is low.	
(ii) We breathe in all the time.	
(iii) gas is slightly lighter than air.	
(iv) Aquatic plants and animals take in oxygen dissolved in	
(v) Rusting is a process.	
3. Define the following.	
(i) Atmosphere	
(ii) Rusting	
(iii) Acid rain	
(iv) Air pollution	
(v) Combustion	
4. Answer the following questions.	
(i) What is the percentage of noble gases in air?	
(ii) List three properties of nitrogen.	
(iii) What is acid rain?	

(v) Which component of air is responsible for formation of mist?

(iv) Mention few air pollutants.